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Report of steerage passengers, carried on ships bound for United States territory, through and from Yokohama, Japan, etc.—Continued.

Name of steamer.	Date of departure.	Destination in U. S. territory.	In transit.		From Yokohama.		Total.	Landed Yokohama.
			U. S. ports.	Victoria, Honolulu, Philippines.	U. S. ports.	Victoria, Honolulu, Philippines.		
Gaelic	Dec. 12	San Francisco via Honolulu	191	38	29	634	892	12
Futami Maru	Dec. 15	Manila			1		1	
Queen Adelaide	Dec. 16	Tacoma via Victoria	9	3	11	86	109	
Hongkong Maru	Dec. 20	San Francisco via Honolulu	46	9	15	623	693	15
Lady Joicey	Dec. 21	do			30	710	740	
China	Dec. 30	do	175	16	8	641	840	9
Riojun Maru	do	Seattle via Victoria	32	186	82	24	324	3
Doyo Maru	do	Portland via Honolulu		674		46	720	
Total			15,244	7,239	981	14,667	38,131	424

MEXICO.

Report from Vera Cruz.

VERA CRUZ, MEXICO, *April 26, 1900.*

SIR: I have the honor to make the following report for the week ended April 25: Cases of yellow fever, 3; cases of smallpox, 1; deaths from yellow fever, 3; deaths from smallpox, 1. During the week I have inspected and signed bills of health for 7 vessels bound for United States and Cuban ports. One hundred and forty-three passengers were examined and passed. I wrote you on April 16 that article 64 of the Mexican quarantine regulations would be enforced this summer. Upon further inquiry I find that the article applies only to ports wherein yellow fever is *epidemic.* Yellow fever is not epidemic here at present, so baggage will not be disinfected until an epidemic appears. I expect to have individual certificates of inspection for passengers by next Monday, but all baggage will have to be attended to at the port of arrival. About 60 per cent of the passengers from here go to Havana. New York gets the rest, except the few that go by rail.

Respectfully, SAML. H. HODGSON,
Acting Assistant Surgeon, U. S. M. H. S.

The SURGEON-GENERAL,
U. S. Marine-Hospital Service.

NETHERLANDS.

Report from Rotterdam.

ROTTERDAM, NETHERLANDS, *April 23, 1900.*

SIR: I have the honor to make the following report for the week ended April 21, 1900. Five vessels were inspected and received bills of health. The steamship *Spaarndam* of the Holland-America Line sailed on the 19th instant, carrying 11 cabin and 96 steerage passengers; 77 pieces of baggage were inspected and labeled, and 13 pieces were disinfected and labeled. She carried a quantity of disinfected hides. The health of this port remains good.

Respectfully, A. R. THOMAS,
Passed Assistant Surgeon, U. S. M. H. S.

The SURGEON-GENERAL,
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